

Maths strand cycle St Stephen's 2025-26. Key: Blue= KPIs from previous year, Purple = suggested warm-up coverage, Green= lesson coverage, Yellow= suggested measure coverage See small steps progression for teaching sequence.

Term 1								
Year group	Wk 1	Wk 2	Wk 3	Wk 4	Wk 5	Wk 6	Wk 7	Wk 8
4	<p style="text-align: center;">Place value, including decimals</p> <p>Year 3 KPIs:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> count from 0 in multiples of 4, 8, 50 and 100; find 10 or 100 more or less than a given number recognise the place value of each digit in a three-digit number (hundreds, tens, ones) compare and order numbers up to 1000 identify, represent and estimate numbers using different representations read and write numbers up to 1000 in numerals and in words solve number problems and practical problems involving these ideas. <p>Warm-up coverage:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> count from 0 in multiples of 4, 8, 50 and 100 count in multiples of 6, 7, 9, 25 and 1000 <p>Lesson coverage:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> find 1000 more or less than a given number count backwards through zero to include negative numbers recognise the place value of each digit in a four-digit number (thousands, hundreds, tens, and ones) order and compare numbers beyond 1000 identify, represent and estimate numbers using different representations round any number to the nearest 10, 100 or 1000 solve number and practical problems that involve all of the above and with increasingly large positive numbers <p style="text-align: right;">In Use it incorporating relevant strands of measure from previous years. (CPA)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> measure, compare, add and subtract: lengths (m/cm/mm); mass (kg/g); volume/capacity (l/ml) recognise and write decimal equivalents of any number of tenths or hundredths round decimals with one decimal place to the nearest whole number <p>compare numbers with the same number of decimal places up to two decimal places</p>							

Term 2							
Year group	Wk 1	Wk 2	Wk 3	Wk 4	Wk 5	Wk 6	Wk 7
4	<p>Conferencing/Fluency</p>	<p>Place value, including decimals</p> <p>Year 3 KPIs:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> count from 0 in multiples of 4, 8, 50 and 100; find 10 or 100 more or less than a given number recognise the place value of each digit in a three-digit number (hundreds, tens, ones) compare and order numbers up to 1000 identify, represent and estimate numbers using different representations read and write numbers up to 1000 in numerals and in words solve number problems and practical problems involving these ideas. <p>Warm-up coverage:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> count from 0 in multiples of 4, 8, 50 and 100 count in multiples of 6, 7, 9, 25 and 1000 					

Lesson coverage:

- find 1000 more or less than a given number
- count backwards through zero to include negative numbers
- recognise the place value of each digit in a four-digit number (thousands, hundreds, tens, and ones)
- order and compare numbers beyond 1000
- identify, represent and estimate numbers using different representations
- round any number to the nearest 10, 100 or 1000
- solve number and practical problems that involve all of the above and with increasingly large positive numbers

In Use it incorporating relevant strands of measure from previous years. (CPA)

- measure, compare, add and subtract: lengths (m/cm/mm); mass (kg/g); volume/capacity (l/ml)
- recognise and write decimal equivalents of any number of tenths or hundredths
- round decimals with one decimal place to the nearest whole number

compare numbers with the same number of decimal places up to two decimal places

Term 3							
Year group	Wk 1	Wk 2	Wk 3	Wk 4	Wk 5	Wk 6	
4	Conferencing/Fluency	Place value, including decimals Year 3 KPIs: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • count from 0 in multiples of 4, 8, 50 and 100; find 10 or 100 more or less than a given number • recognise the place value of each digit in a three-digit number (hundreds, tens, ones) • compare and order numbers up to 1000 • identify, represent and estimate numbers using different representations • read and write numbers up to 1000 in numerals and in words 			Addition and Subtraction, including decimals Year 3 KPIs: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • add and subtract numbers mentally, including: a three-digit number and ones a three-digit number and tens a three-digit number and hundreds • add and subtract numbers with up to three digits, using formal written methods of columnar addition and subtraction • estimate the answer to a calculation and use inverse operations to check answers • solve problems, including missing number problems, using number facts, place value, and more complex addition and subtraction. Warm-up coverage: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • add and subtract numbers mentally, including: 		

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● solve number problems and practical problems involving these ideas. <p>Warm-up coverage:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● count from 0 in multiples of 4, 8, 50 and 100 ● count in multiples of 6, 7, 9, 25 and 1000 <p>Lesson coverage:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● find 1000 more or less than a given number ● count backwards through zero to include negative numbers ● recognise the place value of each digit in a four-digit number (thousands, hundreds, tens, and ones) ● order and compare numbers beyond 1000 ● identify, represent and estimate numbers using different representations ● round any number to the nearest 10, 100 or 1000 ● solve number and practical problems that involve all of the above and with increasingly large positive numbers <p>In Use it incorporating relevant strands of measure from previous years. (CPA)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● measure, compare, add and subtract: lengths (m/cm/mm); mass (kg/g); volume/capacity (l/ml) ● recognise and write decimal equivalents of any number of tenths or hundredths ● round decimals with one decimal place to the nearest whole number <p>compare numbers with the same number of decimal places up to two decimal places</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - a three-digit number and ones - a three-digit number and tens - a three-digit number and hundreds <p>Lesson coverage:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● add and subtract numbers with up to 4 digits using the formal written methods of columnar addition and subtraction where appropriate ● estimate and use inverse operations to check answers to a calculation ● solve addition and subtraction two-step problems in contexts, deciding which operations and methods to use and why. <p>In Use it incorporating relevant strands of measure from previous years. (CPA)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● measure, compare, add and subtract: lengths (m/cm/mm); mass (kg/g); volume/capacity (l/ml) <p>add and subtract amounts of money to give change, using both £ and p in practical contexts</p>
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Term 4							
Year group	Wk 1	Wk 2	Wk 3	Wk 4	Wk 5	Wk 6	

Multiplication and Division

Year 3 KPIs:

- recall and use multiplication and division facts for the 3, 4 and 8 multiplication tables
- write and calculate mathematical statements for multiplication and division using the multiplication tables that they know, including for two-digit numbers times one-digit numbers, using mental and progressing to formal written methods
- solve problems, including missing number problems, involving multiplication and division, including positive integer scaling problems and correspondence problems in which n objects are connected to m objects.

Warm-up coverage:

- write and calculate mathematical statements for multiplication and division using the multiplication tables that they know, including for two-digit numbers times one-digit numbers, using mental and progressing to formal written methods
- recall multiplication and division facts for multiplication tables up to 12×12
- use place value, known and derived facts to multiply and divide mentally, including: multiplying by 0 and 1; dividing by 1; multiplying together three numbers

Lesson coverage:

- recognise and use factor pairs and commutativity in mental calculations
- multiply two-digit and three-digit numbers by a one-digit number using formal written layout
- solve problems involving multiplying and adding, including using the distributive law to multiply two digit numbers by one digit, integer scaling problems and harder correspondence problems such as n objects are connected to m objects.
- find the effect of dividing a one- or two-digit number by 10 and 100, identifying the value of the digits in the answer as ones, tenths and hundredths

Teach a **block of measure** within this block so children have an understanding of measures so in uses it measure can be incorporated. (CPA)

- Convert between different units of measure [for example, kilometre to metre; hour to minute]

Term 5					
Year group	Wk 1	Wk 2	Wk 3	Wk 4	Wk 5
4	<p>Conferencing/Fluency (include revision of shape here)</p>	<p>Fractions (Decimals)</p> <p>Year 3 KPIs:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> count up and down in tenths; recognise that tenths arise from dividing an object into 10 equal parts and in dividing one-digit numbers or quantities by 10 recognise, find and write fractions of a discrete set of objects: unit fractions and non unit fractions with small denominators recognise and use fractions as numbers: unit fractions and non-unit fractions with small denominators recognise and show, using diagrams, equivalent fractions with small denominators add and subtract fractions with the same denominator within one whole [for example, $7/5 + 7/1 = 7/6$] compare and order unit fractions, and fractions with the same denominators solve problems that involve all of the above. <p>Warm-up coverage:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> count up and down in tenths; recognise that tenths arise from dividing an object into 10 equal parts and in dividing one-digit numbers or quantities by 10 count up and down in hundredths <p>Lesson coverage:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> recognise and show, using diagrams, families of common equivalent fractions solve problems involving increasingly harder fractions to calculate quantities, and fractions to divide quantities, including non-unit fractions where the answer is a whole number add and subtract fractions with the same denominator recognise and write decimal equivalents of any number of tenths or hundredths recognise and write decimal equivalents to 4 1, 2 1, 4 3 find the effect of dividing a one- or two-digit number by 10 and 100, identifying the value of the digits in the answer as ones, tenths and hundredths round decimals with one decimal place to the nearest whole number compare numbers with the same number of decimal places up to two decimal places solve simple measure and money problems involving fractions and decimals to two decimal places. 			<p>Measure</p> <p>Year 3 KPSs:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> measure, compare, add and subtract: lengths (m/cm/mm); mass (kg/g); volume/capacity (l/ml) measure the perimeter of simple 2-D shapes add and subtract amounts of money to give change, using both £ and p in practical contexts <p>Warm-up coverage:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> know the number of seconds in a minute and the number of days in each month, year and leap year <p>Lesson coverage:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Convert between different units of measure [for example, kilometre to metre; hour to minute] measure and calculate the perimeter of a rectilinear figure (including squares) in centimetres and metres find the area of rectilinear shapes by counting squares estimate, compare and calculate different measures, including money in pounds and pence <p>Consolidation of 4 operations through measure.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">

Term 6							
Year group	Wk 1	Wk 2	Wk 3	Wk 4	Wk 5	Wk 6	Wk 7
4	<p>Measure</p> <p>Year 3 KPSs:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> measure, compare, add and subtract: lengths (m/cm/mm); mass (kg/g); volume/capacity (l/ml) measure the perimeter of simple 2-D shapes add and subtract amounts of money to give change, using both £ and p in practical contexts <p>Warm-up coverage:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> know the number of seconds in a minute and the number of days in each month, year and leap year <p>Lesson coverage:</p>		<p>Geometry – shape</p> <p>Year 3 KPIs:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> draw 2-D shapes and make 3-D shapes using modelling materials; recognise 3-D shapes in different orientations and describe them recognise angles as a property of shape or a description of a turn identify right angles, recognise that two right angles make a half-turn, three make three quarters of a turn and four a complete turn; identify 	<p>NFER</p>	<p>Time</p> <p>Year 3 KPIs:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> tell and write the time from an analogue clock, including using Roman numerals from I to XII, and 12-hour and 24-hour clocks estimate and read time with increasing accuracy to the nearest minute; record and compare time in terms of seconds, minutes and hours; use vocabulary such as o'clock, a.m./p.m., morning, afternoon, noon and midnight know the number of seconds in a minute and the number of days in each month, year and leap year compare durations of events [for example to calculate the time taken by particular events or tasks]. 		<p>Geometry – position & direction</p> <p>Lesson coverage:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> describe positions on a 2-D grid as coordinates in the first quadrant describe movements between positions as translations of a given unit to the left/right and up/down plot specified points and draw sides to complete a given polygon.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Convert between different units of measure [for example, kilometre to metre; hour to minute] measure and calculate the perimeter of a rectilinear figure (including squares) in centimetres and metres find the area of rectilinear shapes by counting squares estimate, compare and calculate different measures, including money in pounds and pence <p>Consolidation of 4 operations through measure.</p>	<p>whether angles are greater than or less than a right angle</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> identify horizontal and vertical lines and pairs of perpendicular and parallel lines. <p>Lesson coverage:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> compare and classify geometric shapes, including quadrilaterals and triangles, based on their properties and sizes identify acute and obtuse angles and compare and order angles up to two right angles by size identify lines of symmetry in 2-D shapes presented in different orientations <p>complete a simple symmetric figure with respect to a specific line of symmetry.</p>		<p>Year 4 KPIs:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> read, write and convert time between analogue and digital 12- and 24-hour clocks solve problems involving converting from hours to minutes; minutes to seconds; years to months; weeks to days. 	
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Roman numerals to be taught as part of Romans enquiry: read Roman numerals to 100 (I to C) and know that over time, the numeral system changed to include the concept of zero and place value.